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1. On 23 April 1952, the Norddeutsche Maschinenfabrik on Industriestrasse, Luckenwalde (N 53/E 90), was occupied to capacity. No training activity was noticed. Sentries seen at the installation wore red-bordered black epaulets. [REDACTED]

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25X1 2. On 21 April 1952, an antenna mast with several reflectors and a radio track were seen in Stamm Lager I south of the junction of the Luckenwalde-Frankenfelde and Luckenwalde-Frankenserde roads. Soldiers with portable radio sets were repeatedly noticed. [REDACTED]

25X1 [REDACTED] copy-book of a supply depot of an undetermined troop unit for the period from 19 July to 4 October 1950 [REDACTED] mentioned Major Dremlyuga (fmu)

25X1 as aide of the commanding officer in charge of supply, Senior Lieutenant Samorodny (fmu) as chief of supply and feed, Major (Medical Service) Pystin

25X1 (fmu) and Lieutenant (Medical Service) Matelnikov (fmu) as physicians of the 25X1 unit. [REDACTED]

25X1 3. On 18 April 1952, personnel wearing red-bordered black epaulets with tank insignia continuously shipped billeting equipment and ammunition boxes from the Forst Zinna railroad station south of Luckenwalde toward the Leder-Markendorf troop training grounds, east of Jüterbog (N 52/E 69). [REDACTED]

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4. On 13 April 1952, an emplacement of about six 37-mm AT guns was seen on the Luckenwalde-Jueterboe railroad line, 2 km south of the Schwindsichtsbruecke, just west of the track. Truck [ ] towing a field kitchen and truck [ ] were seen leaving the emplacement toward Luckenwalde on 22 April. The emplacement was vacant on 23 April. [ ] 25X1 25X1 25X1

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6. On 3 April 1952, the former Norddeutsche Maschinenfabrik on Industriestrasse in Luckenwalde was occupied by about 300 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets, including some with artillery insignia. Two rocket launchers and trucks [ ] were seen near the installation. [ ] 25X1 25X1

7. On 7 April, eight low barracks buildings were occupied by new troops in Stammlager I south of the junction of the Luckenwalde-Frankenfelde and Luckenwalde-Frankenfoerde roads. Reconditioning work on barracks and sheds was seen. Truck [ ] hauled supplies to the camp. 25X1

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8. [ ] On 11 April, about 25 soldiers were seen drilling with 3 x 37-mm AT guns in Stammlager I on the Luckenwalde-Frankenfoerde road. 25X1

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9. [ ] On 20 April, the Norddeutsche Maschinenfabrik on Industriestrasse was occupied to capacity by 750 to 1,000 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia. [ ] Three soldiers were seen wearing blue-bordered black epaulets. No heavy weapons were noticed. The troops were chiefly engaged in telephone construction. Between 25 and 30 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia were seen falling in at the site, carrying rifles and telephone cable reels. Motor vehicles seen at, and driving to, and from, the installation [ ] 25X1 25X1

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- Truck [ ] carrying two boat motors parked in front of the installation. (1) 25X1

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10. On 16 April 1952, the Norddeutsche Maschinenfabrik on Industriestrasse was occupied to capacity by about 900 to 1,200 men. About 45 percent were red-bordered black epaulets, 45 percent blue-bordered black epaulets and 10 percent black-bordered crimson epaulets, mostly with artillery insignia. [ ] About 50 soldiers were seen drilling with rifles. No heavy weapons were noticed. [ ] 25X1 25X1

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[ ] Corrections.

- (1) The 91st Kav PL Regt of the 3d Rds Div (reg) has been carried in the Norddeutsche Maschinenfabrik since December 1951 and has been confirmed there by four sources until 20 April. The strength estimate given by these sources in paragraphs 9 and 10 is 100 percent too high for this regiment. The observation of red-bordered black and black-bordered blue epaulets tends to indicate that other units are quartered in the installation or that a course is being held.

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- (2) It is believed that elements of the anti entified AA division of the Third Gds Army which with its bulk moved to the area of Muensterdorf, are still stationed in Stammlager I, even though only 37-mm AA guns have been reported.

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a temporary decimeter station in March. The truck mentioned in paragraph 7 belongs to a tank regiment of the 6th Gds Tank Div. It is believed that, just as in the preceding year, Stammlager I is also used by troops training in the Jueterbog area during the summer practices.

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The officers are unknown.

- (3) Trucks [redacted] belong to the CCC. All others belong to the 6th Gds Tank Div which moved at that time to Werder-Markendorf.

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(4)

- (5) The officers are not known. [redacted] Colonel Chvetsov (fm) was transferred to Jueterbog. The two colonels personally entered their names in the employment record while the name of the general was entered by the latter's wife.

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